



Office of Children and Family Services

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March 16, 2022

Mr. Christian Hanchett, Commissioner
Warren County Department of Social Services
Warren County Municipal Center
1340 State Route 9
Lake George, NY 12845-9803

Dear Commissioner Hanchett:

This letter is in response to your request to amend Warren County's Child and Family Services 2021 Child Care Plan. Warren County has proposed to amend the following:

Proposed changes:

1. Appendix L: Other Eligible Families if Funds are Available

Warren County has requested to change item options 2c, 7c, 7d, 7f, 7g, 8, and 11 under Appendix L to "Yes".

2. Appendix M#1: III. Family Share

Warren County has requested to lower their family share percentage to 1% from the current 10% effective March 14, 2022.

3. Appendix N: District Options

Warren County has requested to check option 9, 10, and 12 under Appendix N, section 2.

4. Appendix T: II. Differential Payment Rates

Warren County has requested to increase the differential payment for Homelessness: Licensed and Registered Providers to a 15% differential payment. In addition to increasing Homelessness: Legally-Exempt Providers to a 15% differential payment.

5. Appendix T: III. Increased Enhanced Market Rate for Legally-Exempt Family and In-Home Child Care Providers

Warren County has requested to select "yes" for option 1. And to amend option 2 to state "75%".

Your request has been approved with an effective date of March 14, 2022.

If you have any questions regarding this approval or the child care section found in your district's Child and Family Services 2021 Child Care Plan, please contact Darci Primeau at (518) 474-9095 or via email at Darci.Primeau@ocfs.ny.gov.

Sincerely,



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Deputy Commissioner
Division of Child Care Services

Attachment